

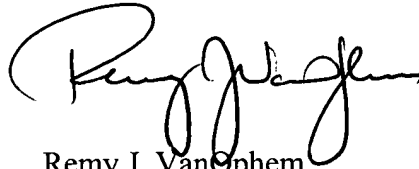
**II. Remarks**

Please cancel Claim 33, placing the application in condition for allowance.

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Respectfully submitted,

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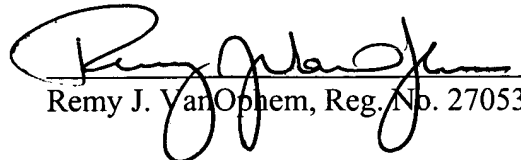
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